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Bible Readings for May 12

Acts 9:36-43, Psalm 23, Revelation 7:9-17, John 10:22-30

<u>The Lunch Basket For Hungry Children</u> is provided this week by the St. Mark's Outreach Ministry in loving memory of Violet Reimer.

Flowers For The Altar are given today by Hilda and Kathryn Smith to the Glory of God and in Loving memory of Les, husband and father and Michelle, Granddaughter and daughter.

Farewell to Emily

Today is Music Director Emily Worden-Kwok's last Sunday with us. There is cake in the Hall during Coffee Hour. Please join us.

<u>Contact for the Prayer Chain</u> - Please send your requests for prayer to Mary Brown. Please contact her with your requests at 604.535.6408 or at <u>marybrown@telus.net</u>

St Marks Syrian Refugees

They Arrive Friday, July 5, 2019 This long awaited event is happening!

The Syrian Refugee Project has coordinators for Furnishings and Kitchenware and all the other things our Khaldoun Family will need to start their new life in Canada.

We will be supporting them for the next year so please think about what help you can provide.

Brenda Horner is the financial donations coordinator for those wishing to start or increase a pledge, or people can add to their envelope donations under a "Syrian Family" line item on their envelope. People may also use the Electronic Donation Station in the Narthex.

"PARISH PULSE" NEWSLETTER OF ST. MARK OCEAN PARK SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2019

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY FUNDRAISER

2ND ANNUAL SPAGHETTI DINNER

WHEN: SATURDAY, MAY 25, 2019

TIME: 5:30 P.M.

WHERE: ST. MARK PARISH HALL, 12953 20TH

AVENUE, SURREY, B.C.

COST: \$12.50 (CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER

FREE)

PROCEEDS BENEFIT FAMILIES IN RWANDA, STREET CHILDREN OF KOLKATA, LOCAL FOOD BANK "LUNCHES FOR KIDS" PROGRAM AND PROVIDING FOR A NEEDY FAMILY AT CHRISTMAS. PLEASE COME OUT AND HELP SUPPORT OUR CHILDREN BY:

"HELPING KIDS HELP KIDS "

K-KIDS

R - REACHING I – INSPIRING B - BUILDING



Spring is upon us! Do you love fresh air? And Exercise?

Come and join St. Mark's Tuesday morning's Garden & Forest Work Party, 9am – 11am Tues. Parish Work Parties will also be scheduled. Watch the south wall Creation Care Displays for many more opportunities beginning in May! Or call Ann Schreck 604.536.0072 to become involved.

Adult Sunday School series "Together Deeper in His Word" commences today, for 8 Sundays. We meet in the education room from 9:05am to 9:45am. This season, we will study the Acts of the Apostles in celebration of the Early Church and the Great Commission. Please contact Ben at benjibert@gmail.com

Library News



Movie Night

Have you checked the movies lately? There are some new titles.

Unbroken based on a true story, it tells of how Louis Zamperini finds

peace and forgiveness after being a prisoner of war. **Jimmy** is based on the Robert Whitlow novel, and is an extraordinary tale of growing up even when you are "special". (Dove Rated) **Courageous Love** has Alex working undercover, trying to save his company, when he falls in love with the employee he came to investigate. (Dove Rated)

Easter Extravaganza Update: Thank you to the many youth and adult volunteers who helped make St. Mark's first Easter Extravaganza a success! The carnival-themed family event welcomed approximately 200 people from our community to enjoy a gigantic bouncy castle, carnival toss games, face painting, balloon pit, toddler crawl zone and art station. Over 100 children received a goodie bag with Easter treats and a Gospel tract.

- Josh Brown

St Marks VBS

The MANE Event!

This epic African adventure engages the whole herd. At Roar, kids explore God's goodness and celebrate a ferocious faith that powers them through this wild life.

AUGUST 19 – 23, 2019 9 AM – 12 NOON

Ages 4-12



Electronic Donations

We encourage everyone to consider giving electronically by Pre-Authorized Donation (PAD), or via Credit/Debit card at the Electronic Donation Station (EDS) located in the Narthex. Thank you to all those who have so enthusiastically embraced this new way of giving as it helps us to best manage our ongoing monthly expenses. Donation envelopes are also provided for those who prefer to give that way.

QUICK LOOK AHEAD

Tues. May 7 – Prayer Shawls Meeting Wed. May 8 – Seniors Get-Together

Thurs. May 9 – Outreach Committee Meeting

Sat. May 11 - Garden Club (renter) Plant Sale

Tues. May 14 – 2pm – ACW Meeting

Tue. May 14 - 6 pm Men's Club dinner meeting Guest speaker: Rev. Tellison Glover

Mon. May 20 - OFFICE CLOSED - Victoria Day

Tues. May 21 – Ladies Guild Meeting

Wed. May 22 - Seniors Get-Together

Fri. May 24 & Sat. May 25 - Diocesan Synod

Sat. May 25 – Fundraising Spaghetti Dinner

Sun. May 26 - Taize Service in the Evening

Tues. May 28 - 7pm Parish Council

Thurs. May 30 & Fri. May 31 – ACW sets up in the Hall

Sat. June 1 – ACW Spring Tea

Tues. June 4 – Prayer Shawls Meeting

Wed. June 5 – Seniors Get-Together

Tues. June 11 - ACW Meeting

Thurs. June 13 – All Leader's Meeting – 7-9pm

Fri. June 14 - Men's Club Sets Up for BBQ

Sat. June 15 - 5:30 pm Chicken Bar B Q

Tues. June 18 – ACW Meeting

Wed. June 19 - Seniors Get-Together

Sun. June 23 - Taize-Style Service in the Evening

Tue. June 25 - 7 pm Parish Council

<u>Upcoming Events</u>

Tuesday, May 7

1pm – Prayer Shawl Meeting – Family Room

Wednesday, May 8

9am - Yoga - Education Centre

10am - Service - Sanctuary

1pm - Seniors Get-Together - Hall & Family Room

7:30pm - Choir Practice - Sanctuary

Thursday, May 9

9:30am – Outreach Committee Meeting – Education Centre

Friday, May 10

9am - Exercise - Hall

10:30am – Hall Set up Begins for Saturday's South

Surrey Garden Club Plant Sale